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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: the Application of: Yoshinori SEKINE et al.

Group Art Unit: 1732

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For: **INK FOR APPLYING A DECORATION ON A MOLDED ARTICLE
SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH MOLDING, AND DECORATED FILM
OR SHEET**

Attorney Docket Number: 010320

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCESSING REQUESTED

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

January 21, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2004, Applicants submit the following remarks.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.